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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2006 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4618).)		Docket Number (Optional) 61032(70904)	
Application Number 10/804,328-Conf. #7032		Filed March 18, 2004	
For OPTICAL INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM, RECORDING AND READOUT METHODS USING THE SAME, OPTICAL INFORMATION RECORDING DEVICE, AND OPTICAL INFORMATION READOUT DEVICE			
Art Unit 1774		Examiner E. E. Mulvaney	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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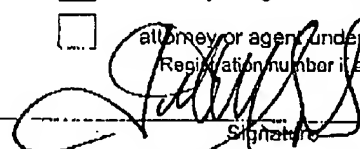
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I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
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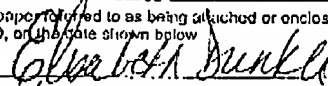
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Effective on 12/01/2004. Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4018). FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2007		Complete if Known Application Number: Patent#: 7,179,515 Filing Date: Issued: February 20, 2007 First Named Inventor: Nobuyuki Takamori Examiner Name: E. E. Mulvaney Art Unit: 1774 Attorney Docket No: 61032(70904)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27			
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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims: 30 Extra Claims: 30 Fee (\$): 360 Fee Paid (\$):
 HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Indep. Claims: 10 Extra Claims: 10 Fee (\$): 200 Fee Paid (\$):
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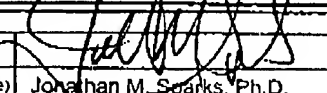
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification: \$130 fee (no small entity discount)
 Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1231 Extension for response within first month 120.00

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